

# The Young Muslim

A text that consists of the primary foundations of Islam and manners for the muslim child.

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## **The First Section: My Belief**

**I am a muslim**

- Allah is my Lord.
- And Muhammad ﷺ is my prophet.
- And Islam is my religion.

**I love Allah the most high, because He is the Lord of the worlds, the Entirely Merciful and the Especially Merciful, owner of the day of judgement and because He created me, sustains me and made me a muslim.**

**Allah says in the Qur'an: in the name of Allah, the Entirely Merciful, the Especially Merciful 1 All praise is due to Allah, Lord of the worlds 2 The Entirely Merciful, the Especially Merciful 3 Master of the Day of Judgement 4 You alone we worship and You alone we ask for help 5 Guide us to the straight path 6 The path of those upon whom You have bestowed favour, not of those who have earned Your anger or of those who are astray 7. Al-Fatihah.**

**And I love the prophet ﷺ because Allah sent him to us so he taught us about Allah and taught us the Qur'an. And because he ﷺ is kind and merciful, his manners are great and his characteristics are beautiful.**

**Allah said about him : Surely you are of a great moral character. Al-Qalam 68:4.**

**Allah also said: ...To the believers is kind and merciful. At-Tawbah 9:128.**

**Allah also said: Indeed We have granted you O Muhammad abundant goodness 1 So pray to your Lord and offer sacrifice to Him alone 2 Indeed, your enemy is the one truly cut off from any goodness 3. Al-Kawthar.**

**And I love my religion Islam**

Because it is the true religion that Allah is pleased with for us and our Prophet ﷺ brought it. And whoever holds on it will enter paradise and whoever leaves or rejects it will enter the hell-fire.

Allah said: By time 1 Indeed, mankind is in grave loss 2 Except for those who have believed and done righteous deeds and advised each other to the truth and advised each other to patience 3. Al-‘Asr.

### The five pillars of Islam

1. Shahadah - Declaration of faith that there is none worthy of worship in truth except Allah and that Muhammad is the messenger of Allah.
2. Salaah - Establishing the prayer.
3. Zakaat - Giving of alms.
4. Siyaam - Fasting the month of Ramadan.
5. Hajj - Performing Hajj to the sacred house of Allah.

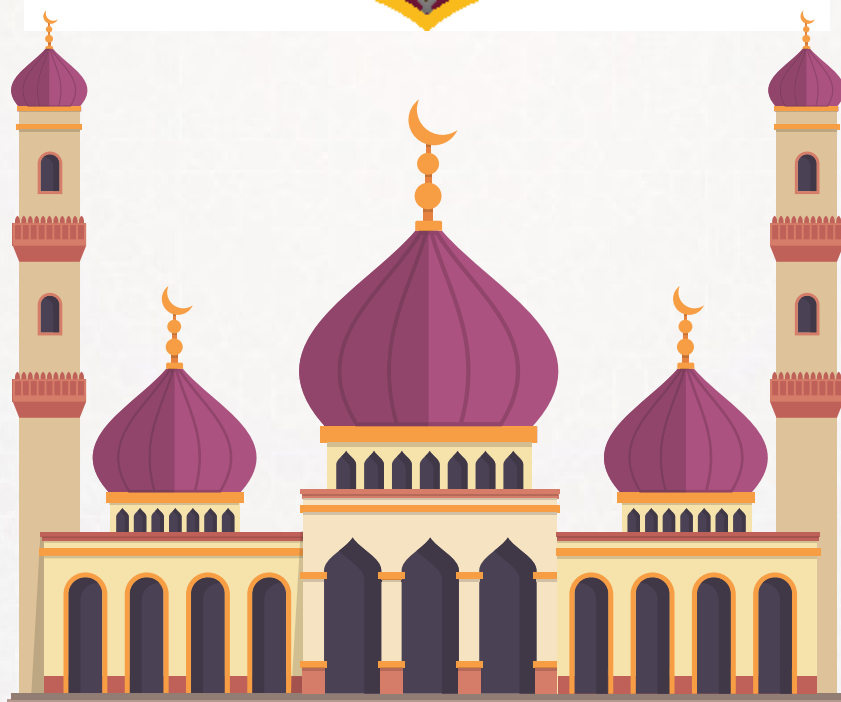
### The six pillars of Eeman

1. Belief in Allah.
  2. Belief in the angels.
  3. Belief in the books.
  4. Belief in the messengers.
  5. Belief in the last day.
  6. Belief in the divine decree its good and its bad.
- I love everything that Allah and his messenger love.
  - I hate everything that Allah and his messenger hate.





## **The Second Section: My Prayer**



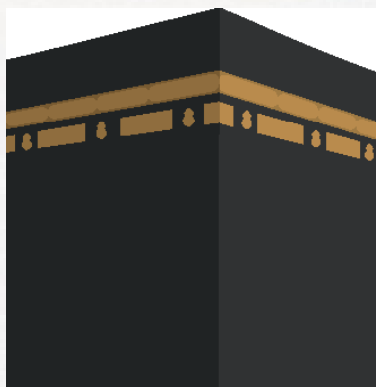
**Allah created us to worship Him alone without any partners, so we don't worship other than Him and we don't call upon other than Him.**

**The greatest act of worship: the prayer.**

**The five daily prayers:**

- 1. Fajr - The morning prayer: I pray 2 units.**
- 2. Dhuhr - The early afternoon prayer - I pray 4 units.**
- 3. 'Asr - The late afternoon prayer - I pray 4 units.**
- 4. Maghrib - The prayer at sunset - I pray 3 units.**
- 5. 'Ishaa - The evening prayer - I pray 4 units.**

- I always pray on time and perform my prayers with focus and calmness.**
- I perform Wudu (ablution) before I pray and I never pray without it.**



## **The Third Section: My Manners**





Allah loves good manners and hates bad manners. And the prophet ﷺ came to complete the most honourable manners.

So it is upon me to have good manners like, truthfulness, loyalty, trustworthiness, courage, generosity, good speech, respect towards my teachers and my elders.

And I must avoid bad manners such as, lying, betrayal, weakness, stinginess, bad speech and lack of respect.

The prophet ﷺ said: The dearest and closest of you to me on the Day of Judgement will be those who are best in manners and behaviour in this life.





**Knowledge is light and ignorance is darkness.**

**I strive in seeking knowledge and exhort my efforts to attain it so my Lord will be pleased with me and enter me into Paradise.**

**Remembering Allah is a protection for the muslim**

**I always do my morning and evening remembrance of Allah such as reciting Ayatul-Kursi, Suratul-Ihklas, Al-Falaq and An-Naas.**

**Supplication (Du'aa) is the key to success and happiness**

**I call upon Allah all the time, in prostration (sujood), after the adhan and during the night.**

**Some of the supplications are:**

- **O Allah guide me and direct me to what is right.**
- **O Allah increase me in knowledge.**
- **O Allah forgive me and my parents and have mercy upon them.**
- **O Allah give me goodness in this life and in the hereafter and save me from the punishment of the fire.**

**This the end and All praise is for Allah alone.**